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Letter dated 28 September 2007 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council

I have the honour to refer to Security Council resolution 1766 (2007) concerning Somalia, adopted by the Council on 23 July 2007. In paragraph 3 of the resolution, the Council requested me, in consultation with the Committee established pursuant to resolution 751 (1992) concerning Somalia, to re-establish for a period of six months the Monitoring Group referred to in paragraph 3 of resolution 1558 (2004), with a mandate to carry out the tasks set forth in paragraphs 3 (a) to (i) of resolution 1766 (2007).

I should like to inform you, therefore, that, following consultations with the Committee, I have appointed the following experts:

Bruno Schiemsky (Belgium) (arms expert)

Gilbert Charles Barthe (Switzerland) (customs expert)

Juliana Ruhfus (Germany) (arms and transport expert)

Edwina Thompson (Australia) (finance expert)

I have also appointed Mr. Bruno Schiemsky as the Coordinator of the Monitoring Group.

I should be grateful if you would bring this information to the attention of the members of the Security Council.

(*Signed*) **Ban** Ki-moon

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